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THE WEATHER
Overcast weather and probably local thundershowers today; cooler tonight; tomorrow fair with moderate temperature; moderate winds shifting to west winds

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SENATE SPEEDS 8-HOUR BILL

Will Vote at 6 O'clock This Evening on Measure.

PASSED BY THE HOUSE

Danger of Strike and Consequent Tie-up of Roads Apparently Nearing an End.

Washington, Sept. 2—Official Washington and union labor circles last night accepted the belief that the threatened strike of 400,000 trainmen on the American railroads, scheduled for Monday, has been averted.

Following the passage by the House of the Adamson 8-hour -day bill, which the trainmen's leaders had agreed to accept as a basis for recalling the strike order, the Senate at 8 o'clock last night began consideration of the bill and before it adjourned at 11 o'clock it agreed to close debate at 4 o'clock this afternoon and take a final vote not later than 6 o'clock.

President Wilson and scores of Democrats of the House were so confident that the trouble had been satisfactorily adjusted that they left yesterday afternoon for Shadow Lawn, on the Jersey Coast, for the notification exercises today.

Seldom in the history of the nation has Congress worked so hard and so fast to meet a national crisis. Both the Houses and the Senate threw aside all other subjects and devoted all their time to the strike legislation. Seven hours after Chairman Adamson, of the Committee on Interstate and [illegible] hour day bill the House passed it by the overwhelming majority of 239 ayes to 56 nays.

The bill provides that the eight-hour day shall become effective January 1, 1917. The present pay for the ten-hour day shall apply to the shorter day. Overtime shall be paid pro rata.

In the Senate, where a measure similar to the Adamson bill was introduced and debated yesterday afternoon, pending action on the other side of the Capitol, the House bill was taken up as soon as the Senate, after a recess, convened last night.

The Adamson bill was virtually amended twice on the floor of the House. The labor Congressmen lost their fight to have included in the eight-hour provisions all railroads, such as the short lumber and mining tap lines. But they won their contention to have included in the eight-hour day terminal railroads, such as the Union Railroad of Baltimore and the Canton Company of Baltimore, which are used as connecting links between trunk lines in entering and leaving cities.

Despite the protest of Representative Keating, of Colorado, and a threat of Representative Buchanan, of Illinois, that unless the short lines were included in the bill the brotherhood leaders would not accept the measure, the House accepted the Page amendment, which exempts independently owned railroads of less than 100 miles long, electric street railways and electric interurban railways

Confusion, intense excitement, attacks on President Wilson and a violent denunciation of labor union marked the passage by the House of the Adamson bill. At one time it looked as though the House would drift into a hopeless tangle in the consideration of amendments.

COUNTRYMEN AT THE BAR.

In police court this morning, about a dozen country people were brought before Justice Caton to have the provisions of the law defined to them as regards selling of country produce on the streets and sidewalks outside the city market, it being charged against them that they backed wagons and other vehicles containing their produce to the curb and sold same to passersby and paid no market fee. Justice Caton stipulated that the fee should be paid.

Cherry Stone Oysters on half shell at Rammel Cafe.

MEN PLEDGING THEIR LOYALTY

Railway Executives Order Freight Embargos Rescinded

LESS FEAR OF STRIKE

One Thousand Conductors Wire Garretson They Will Not Strike—Others Ask Injunctions.

Chicago, Sept. 2—Presidents of important Western railroads last night ordered rescinding or modification of the freight embargo established in preparation for a general railway strike. At the same time the railroad executives announced defections from the ranks of the railway brotherhoods, and declared they had enough men to operate trains, strike or no strike. This was denied by brotherhood officials.

Modifications of the freight embargo were announced here by the Erie and the Rock Island systems. Other roads were expected to take similar action within a few hours.

The railroad executives are claiming the defection of thousands of brotherhood members.

Polls of employes who are members of the unions were practically completed, and in general the roads said that they would be able to count on the loyalty of about 25 per cent. of their trainmen, even if the strike order were not revoked.

The most startling of the announcements came from the general offices of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe in a statement that the four Brotherhoods—Railroad Firemen, Conductors and Trainmen—would hold meetings to request the heads of their unions at Washington to revoke the strike order.

In addition, suits for injunctions against calling strikes were filed by individual brotherhood members in various parts of the country, including a number of Santa Fe trainmen employed in Texas.

One thousand conductors of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul telegraphed President Garretson, of the brotherhood, that they would not walk out if ordered to do so, and a delegation of conductors of the Chicago and Northwestern was en route to Washington to oppose a strike before Congress and the brotherhood heads. At Louisville, Ky., 15 Louisville and Nashville conductors obtained an injunction to restrain calling of a strike on that road, asserting that the conductors of the road voted against it, and that a strike would be contrary to public policy.

Railway heads held two meetings. The executive committee of the general managers' association met alone and later held a joint meeting with the presidents and other high officials. The formal statement issued by the managers last night states that "there is a widespread and growing dissaffection among the train employes who have been ordered by their leaders to strike next Monday.

From St. Louis and St. Paul came reports that roads with headquarters in those cities were preparing to run trains.

Washington, Sept. 2—Although the strike outlook is now brighter than it was two days ago, local railroad officials and also those in charge of the terminals here, are busily taking measures to meet a possible crisis. So far practically every road has taken some precautionary steps, and all are said to be still perfecting such mesures, despite the outlook.

The first necessity, according to some sources, is to insure a force of men capable of doing any necessary work about the yards and offices. The officials are busy tabulating the names of retired men, whom they are counting on for an emergency, and are also making inducements to others.

The Chesapeake and Ohio announced yesterday that it would take over the insurance carried by the men in the railroad brotherhoods and insure them at even better terms.

Norfolk Oysters at the Rammel Cafe.

Alexandria City News Condensed

Miss Emma Weingart of Washington, D. C., is spending the week with Miss Edith Whitton.

Miss Marie Graumann will spend the week-end and Labor Day with her brother Mr. Leo Graumann, in Chester, Pa.

Mrs. H. Noel Garner, who has been spending the summer with her parents in Winchester, returned to her home in this city today.

Mr. Thomas L. Wattles, Jr., who has been spending the summer at Berryville, returned to his home in his city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lynn, of Indian Head, Maryland, are spending several days with Mr. Lynn's parents in West End.

Mr. J. H. Bartlett and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bartlett, left today to visit relatives in Pittsburgh and Ellerslie, Pa.

Lieut. Charles D. Barrett, U. S. M. C., spent yesterday and today in Alexandria, on his way from Gettysburg, Pa., to Norfolk. Mrs. Robert S. Barrett, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. T. C. Tupper, Jr., in Webster Grove, St. Louis, will return to her home here tomorrow.

Miss Dolly Callahan is spending her vacation at Woodford, Va.

Mr. Raymond Reeves is away on a fishing trip to Acquia Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Harris, of the Wagar, have gone on a visit to Mr Harris' parents in north Carolina.

Friends of Miss Anna E. Deahl will regret to learn that she is ill at the Alexandria Hospital.

Miss Mary E. Carlin returned today from Atlantic City, her niece Miss Nine Fulton, returned today from Ellicott City, Md.

The services Sunday Night at 7:45 o'clock will be the last at the Gospel Tent on North Washington Street.

Evangelist F. E. Gibson will deliver his last sermon at the tent. His subject will be "The Gospel and Its Results." All who have been attending these services, and all others who are interested are cordially invited to attend.

Virginia Grey's baseball nine will hook up with that representing the Sherwood Athletic Club, of Washington, in a double header Monday at 2:30 o'clock on the north Alfred street grounds. This is the only game to be played in this city Labor Day. The manager of the Greys has issued a call for his players to be at the grounds at 2:00 sharp.

Mr. Seldon Washington left today to spend the weed-end at Charlottesville.

The town of Potomac has had its town officials installed. W. U. Varney, attorney, administered the oath of office to the following last night: Jesse W. Morris, mayor; Rev. O. C. Beall, treasurer; J. A. Varney, clerk; E. R. Fegan, George R. McCauley, Alvin Pennybacker, and Fred S. Morris, Del Day and St. Elmo are included in the town of Potomac.

Cardinals tackle the White Sox at the Cove and the Eagles take on the A. C. A. A. team at Clarendon in the championship series tomorrow, and both games are expected to be interesting affairs as they will undoubtedly decide the leadership. The final pair of games is played Sunday, September 10, and the Eagles and the Clarendon team have a play off to stage besides.

Heretofore the carriers at the Alexandria postoffice have been making one delivery on holidays, but in view of the act of Congress, approved July 28, 1916, the carriers are entitled to every holiday, therefore, there will be no delivery on Monday next, Labor Day, September 4. The carriers' window will be open on Monday, however, from 8:00 a. m. to 10:00 a. m., for the delivery of carriers' mail.

MAN WAS NOT DROWNED.

Owner of Coat, Hat and Shoe Found on Steamboat Wharf Will Get Same From Police.

What looked like a river mystery early last Wednesday morning, when a coat, hat and a shoe were found upon the wharf used by the excursion steamer Charles MacAlester, has been cleared up. No one was drowned, as at first supposed, and those who began to drag the dock expecting to hook a body were unaware of the fact that the owner of the articles was very much alive at his home in the northern section of the city.

It is now known that a man, who was very drunk, was brought off the steamer Tuesday night with his coat, hat and one shoe in his hand. Several friends accompanied the intoxicated man, and they told an officer that they would see him safely home. It appears they did, but allowed their charge to drop the coat, hat and shoe on the wharf, which act caused so much speculation. There will therefore be no corpus delicti nor coroner's inquest.

KIDNAP GIRL WITH AUTO.

Bridgeport, Pa., Sept. 2—With the flourish of revolvers in the hands of at least one of three men, pretty young Mary Navey, of Depot street, was kidnapped Wednesday morning on Second street, near her home, as she was going to work in a Norristown hosiery mill. The three men picked her up bodily, put her into a jitney and comanded the driver to apply as much speed as possbile. The course taken was in the direction of Downingtown.

William McGrory, a car inspector in the yards of the Reading Railway responded to the cries of the girl for help, but when he approached he was held back by a revolver in the hands of one of the men, who were young. McGrory, after the car had proceeded up the street, notified the police. Another machine was obtained and pursuit was made.

Thousands of commuters who live at points in Virginia and Maryland would suffer by the calling of a railroad strike. More than twenty trains arrive at Union Station, Washington every morning and depart in the evening at convenient time for those who work in the capital city. Should the strike order go into ecect, these people will be required to take up temporary residence here or rely on transportation substitutes. Jitney bus routes in all probability would be established between many towns near here that now rely on the steam roads to bring their population to and from the Capital.

Oyster season now open at the Rammel Cafe.

COLONEL SMITH'S WILL.

Real and Personal Estate Bequeathed to his Sister, Miss Margaret Smith.

The will of the late Colonel Francis L. Smith has been admitted to probabte in the circuit court for the city, in vacation, and Margaret Vowell Smith, sister of the deceased qualified in the clerk's office today as executrix. Colonel Smith's last testament bequeathes his estate and all personal and other property to his sister, Miss Margaret Smith, and directs that she be not required to give security as executrix. George E. Warfield, and Gardner L. Boothe are witnesses, and the will was dated February 22, 1916.

CHURCH SERVICES

To be Held Tomorrow in the Several Houses of Worship.

Regular services will be held at the Methodist Protestant Church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. E. T. Kirkley, will preach from the text "The Witnessing Christ."

At the Free Methodist Church tomorrow, there will be preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Van Ness, at 11 a. m. There will also be an evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. P. P. Phillips, D. D, pastor of St. Paul's Church, who has recently returned from his vacation, spent at Virginia Beach and Laurel, Md., will hold services at his church tomorrow. Services will be held during September at 5 p. m. also, because of the Gypsy Smith revivals.

Rev. John Lee Allison, D. D., pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, returned to Alexandria today from Wytheville, Va., where he has been spending his vacation, and will fill his pulpit tomorrow morning. There will be no evening serviec at the Second Presbyterian Church while the Gypsy Smith evangelistic campaign is being conducted in this city.

Although the repairs to Christ church have not been fully completed, the regular morning service, also communion, will be held there tomorrow at 11 o'clock, Rev Wm. Morton officiating. Sunday school will be held at half past nine o'clock tomorrow morning. There will be no Sunday evening services at Christ church during the month while the Gypsy Smith revival services are being held.

Delicious fried oysters at the Rammel Cafe, season now open.

VACANCIES IN COUNCIL.

First and Third Wards Have Three Members Each in Lower Board.

Already there are two vacancies to be filled in the city council, which organized yesterday. Both are in the Common Council, one from the first and the other from the third ward. Owing to the resignation of F. F. Marbury, who was elected as alderman in the June election, and yesterday was chosen president of that board, there is a place to be filled in the first ward, and at yesterday's meeting the common council accepted the resignation of A. D. Brockett, of the third ward, which had not been anticipated.

MOUNT VERNON CHAPTER.

Officers Elected — Rretiring High Priest Receives Jewel.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at a meeting of Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Masons last night in the Masonic Temple, as follows:

Virgil C. Davis, high priest.
C. Philip Heihsley, King.
Chester A. Gwinn, scribe.
William Lewis Allen, treasurer.
Alfred G. Uhler, secretary.
Percy E. Clift, captain of the host.
H. Brooks Arnold, royal arch captain.
Thomas L. Hall, principal sojourner.
Boyd J. Richards, master of third vail.
Alexander M. Sherwood, master of second vail.
B. K. Smith, master of third vail.
Rev. James N. Nourse, chaplain.
Leopold Ruben, steward.
George W. Zachery, tiler.

J. E. W. Timberman, most excellent high priest, and grand scribe of the Royal Arch Chapter of Virginia, installed the officers.

R. A. Zachery, retiring high priest, was presented with a handsome past high priest's jewel.

The third of five links in the longest chain in the world —from Washington, D. C., to Cavite, Philippine Islands, via the Panama Canal — was completed at San Diego yesterday The chain is the navy's and the links are wireless stations that will enable United States fleets all over the world to keep in touch with Washington without the aid of carrier pigeons or the mails. San Diego's link consists of three towers, each 600 feet high. The formal opening of the big radio station at San Diego will take place later, possible not before December 1, when the first message will be sent out to the world by Uncle Sam.

Oysters in all styles at the Rammel Cafe.

RUSSIANS RENEW THEIR ATTACKS

Fierce Battle Now Raging Along the Front in Volhynia

TAKE 15,501 TEUTONS

British Line Pierced and Germans Penetrate Advance Trenches in High Wood at Points.

Petrograd, Sept. 2—In the course of battles yesterday on the western Russian front, says the Russian official statement of yesterday, the Russians captured 289 officers and 15,501 men Of this number 2,400 were Germans. The Russians also captured 6 guns, 55 machine guns and 7 bomb throwers

Berlin. Sept. 2,—In yesterday's official German statement Prince Leopold of Bavaria appears as the director of the German armies on the Russian front, which had been controlled by Field Marshal von Hindenburg before he was appointed chief of the Imperial General Staff.

London, Sept. 2—Five successive attacks were made by German troops Thursday night on British positions on the Somme front. The war office announced yesterday that the Germans penerated the British defenses on a small frontage at two points between Ginchy and High Wood.

Bucharest, Sept. 2—Roumanian troops, invading Transylvania, have occupied the important industrial centre Petroseny and the Tarlunge Valley, near Kronstadt, says the announcement of the Roumanian War Office.

Athens, Sept. 2—Information received here says the Bulgarians are evacuating Sorovitz on the Serbian front, near Florina. The Bulgarians are reported to have failed in their attempt to take Gornitchovo, a town east of Florina.

London, Sept. 2—Bulgaria has declared war on Roumania, according to an official announcement made at Saloniki.

Petroseny is the centre of a rich coal field near the southern frontier of Transylvania, lying just north of the Valcan Pass through the Transylvanian Alps. The occupation of Tarlunge Valley indicates the Roumanians are extending their invasion of the extreme portion of Transylvania.

Turnu Margureli and Zimnitza are Roumanian frontier towns on the Danube river.

NEWS OF THE DAY

It is reported that 22 persons were killed and 40 injured when an allied squadron bombarded Ghent on Thursday.

Judge John A. Riner, of the United States district court of Wyoming, has denied a petition of George W. Argue, a conductor, for an order restraining the officers of five divisions of the Order of Railway Conductors from issuing and enforcing an order to strike.

President Wilson was enthusiastically welcomed to his summer home at Long Branch, N. J., when he arrived last night for the formal notification of his renomination today. A cheering throng greeted him at the station, and reception ceremonies were held at Shadow Lawn, the summer White House.

It is officially announced in Berlin that Gen. Jostoff, chief of the Bulgarians general staff, has died of appendicitis. Gen. Jostoff, who was regarded as one of the ablest strategists in the Bulgarian army, was appointed chief of King Ferdinand's general staff in September of last year, shortly before Bulgaria's entrance into the war. The success of the Bulgarian army, which in connection with the Austro-German forces conquered Serbia last fall, is generally attributed to him.

Oyster season open. When down town visit the Rammel Cafe.

ALLIES' TROOPS NOW IN GREECE

Anglo-French Soldiers Said to Have Landed at Piraeus

FIVE MILES OF ATHENS

Reports of King Constantine's Abdication Lack Confirmation—Doubted By Diplomats

London, Sept. 2.— Anglo-French troops are believed to have been landed at Piraeus with the intention meant that the allies had decided to Athens and garrisoning the Greek capital.

No report of an actual landing has thus far been received. But two dispatches from Athens today reported the arrival of allied transports off Piraeus harbor and London newspapers declared this undoubtedly meant that the allies had decided to put an end to pro-German intrigues at Athens.

The foreign office today still lacked confirmation of reports of King Constantine's abdication and was without further advices regarding the progress of the revolution in northern Greece. In the absence of official news, diplomats here began to doubt the truth of the report that the Greek King had quit his throne, though his position is growing more uncomfortable.

The beginning of an Italian offensive in southern Albania, officially announced at Rome, convinced military critics today that the allies' grand offensive in the Balkans is about to begin. The landing of troops at Piraeus indicates the determination of the allies to settle all problems in Greece quickly before marching northward against the Germans and Bulgarians.

With Italy attacking in Albania, the allies are now exerting pressure on the central powers on six fronts. The Italian movement in Albania will force the retirement of the Bulgars from north-western Greece if it is carried eastward successfully until it threatens the Bulgarian flank.

That the Roumanian declaration of war has caused a radical change in Bulgaria's plan of strategy is reported in dispatches from Saloniki. Since Roumania entered the war the Bulgars have made no attempt to push further southward into Greece, contenting themselves with fortifying the lines already seized.

KILLED IN ACCIDENT

Havre De Grace, Md., Sept 2.— When a touring car bound from Richmond to Atlantic City crashed through the Union avenue bridge and dropped twenty feet to a Pennsylvania railroad siding yesterday morning, Mrs. Jewett, of Boston, was killed, and W. P. Hoff, Henry Gill, Mrs. E. D. Hotchkiss, and Charles Bedford, of Richmond, were injured. All were pinned beneath the machine. Gill extricated himself and raising the car on a jack freed the others.

The mayor of the town near whose home the accident happened sounded a fire alarm and the firemen took the injured to the hospital here.

All will recover. The car passed through Baltimore last night. Mrs. Jewett was on her way home.

Operation of motor truck and passenger motor car lines out of the principal cities of the Pacific Northwest will follow close upon a general strike on the railways. Even for such distances as between Seattle and Portland the present condition of the road will make possible regular transportation of passengers by automobiles. Even should the strike come, the railroads expect to be able to operate a partial service, as many men capable of working as engineers, firemen, trainmen and conductors are now in other departments and can be called upon in case of necessity.

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VIRGINIANS' BEST CAMP

Captain Scott, of U. S. Army, Compliments Soldiers of the Old Dominion.

Brownsville, Tex., Aug. 28.—With their company camp pronounced by Captain Scott, of the army "the best by long odds," that he has seen during his inspection of Virginia troops stationed here members of the Alexandria Light Infantry are on edge now to keep their drills and other duties up to scratch, during the series of inspections which they are nowstanding.

The inspector's report was read to the men by Capt. Conrad Johnson as they stood in company formation at retreat, after supper yesterday. Besides general comments on the condition of their camp and equipment and showing at drill, the report contrasted in detail the showings made by the different squads. This has roused a feeling of competition among the men which will undoubtedly spur them on to deserve a still better report the next time a detailed inspection is made.

Sanitary conditions in the company's camp, Captain Scott reported were in general, satisfactory. He also picked out details of the camp's arrangement, which included the kitchen, for special commendation. Since the inspection, the new building for the kitchen with its new stove and ice-box, has been completed. It has been provided with a clean sand floor and will eventually be screened, which will probably draw down some more words of praise for Company G, from the inspectors.

Tents occupied by some of the squads were complimented by Captain Scott, for home-made gun racks and schemes for protecting their other equipment from the dirt and weather. These have been thought out by the men themselves and built "the best they can with the few tools they've got"—as the men say of anything they are criticised or complimented for.

Handling of the company in turn by Lieutenants Knight and McLean was rated "better than good." Captain Scott also called the company's parade drill better than the average, and its battle-formation drill good.

In addition to this complimentary report onthe Alexandrians' showing at inspection, more words of praise for them are embraced in a report on how the troops stationed here handled themselves during the hurricane which raged on August 18.

The report was issued from the office of Brigadier-General Parker who commands all troops in the Brownsville district, and it was read to the men at his direction. General Parker congratulated his command "on the fine spirit shown by the officers and men during the hurricane." Though the wind swept the flat Texas country at a gait of 75 miles an hour, and swept tents and frame buildings before it like paper, the commands were preserved intact, without straggling or disorder, the report states.

All the troops remained under control of their commanders, and perserved the integrity of their regiments and brigades. Hardships incurred during the whole day that the hurricane lasted and during the night that followed it, were borne with the utmost cheerfulness and with no complaining. This behavior demonstrated a soldierly and martial spirit on the part of members of his command General Parker's report concluded.

Thirteen members of the Light Infantry have been given a rank of first-class private, dating from August 1. This entitles them to three dollars a month extra pay, and certain privileges in camp. "The least violation of their respective duties," however, will make them liable to be reduced to ordinary privates, it is pointed out in the order announcing their promotion.

The order which was published today, names the following privates chosen for the promotion:

C. E. Hayden, George H. Jones, John Greiner, jr., Harvey Davis, Floyd Shinn, Raphael Birrell, J. Harris Bettis, T. A. Beauregard, James A. Ludlow, C. C. Nelson, H. L. Wise, James Thorp, and E. L. Hume.

William F. Boswell has been promoted to the position of company clerk, to assist First Sergeant Deahl in keeping the company records. Robert Bitzer nd Walter Heislip, have been promoted to company musicians. The latter succeeds B. H. Cook, who has been transferred to the band of the First regiment. The musicians' duties include use of the semaphore, wig-wag, and other signal systems used in the army.

William Nolan and O. Nightingale have been transferred from the Light Infantry to the supply company of the First regiment, as teamsters. Winship Moncure has been detailed to the headquarters company which serves directly under Colonel Perry and William D. Meeks to the regimental exchange.

Private Co. G.

GYPSY SMITH CAMPAIGN

Revival Meetings Will Began Tomorrow Night in Tent on Upper King Street.

Alexandria's evangelistic campaign will be opened tomorrow night at 7:45 o'clock by Gypsy Smith, jr., of Haddon Heights, N. J., who is expected to arrive in this city tonight, as all arrangements have been completed by the various committees in charge. Tonight the joint choirs of the Protestant churches meet for final rehearsal under Prof. Forest Cole, the musical director of the evangelist. Miss Laura Hoagland is the pianist.

Last night several hundred were present at the tent which has recently been erected on King street, between West and Peyton, at the first rehearsal of the choirs in the tent.

The usher committee holds a meeting for final instructions in handling the crowds, which, it is estimated, will attend the revivials, which will be held at 7:45 every evening except Mondays, until October 2. The tent will hold an audience of 2,000.

Everything has been done for the convenience of those who will hear the evangelist. In the Sunday school room of the Second Baptist Church, in the rear of which the tent is situated, a temporary hospital and dispensary has been established with a nurse from the Alexandria Hospital in charge. A private office and conference room has been also provided in the second Baptist church.

On one side of the big tent a small tent has been pitched, and here infants and small children may be "checked" by mothers and left to the care of youg women appointed by the nursery committee of ladies.

WOMAN STILL MISSING

Mrs. Harry L. Litchford Unable to Find Trace of Her Daughter Marguerite.

Not a single trace has been found to date in the search made by Mrs. Harry L. Litchford, who resides at 1105 Duke street, for her daughter, Marguerite Eareheart, who, it was reported, had eloped with Charles H. Baum, of Baltimore, on a motorcycle August 21. Hagerstown, Md., Baltimore, Washington, and Alexandria police have been on Baum's trail and have been keeping a strict lookout for his motorcycle, which is an Indian make, and is registered as No. 1734, under Maryland registration.

Mrs. Litchford told a reporter for the Gazette this morning that she suspected foul play or an accident, stating that Baum had a reputation as a very reckless driver. As the girl was taken from her home against her will, (so states Mrs. Litchford positively,) it is possible, that she might now be hidden in some place and kept from returning to her home by Baum.

Yesterday afternoon Chief of Police Goods, of the local police department, telephoned the Hagerstown chief giving a complete description of the eloping pair.

Mrs. Litchford told the Gazette reporter this morning that she had written several times to J. H. Eareheart, the girl's father, in Hagerstown, but had received no answer to date, and it may be that he is in possession of knowledge of the girl's whereabouts but is keeping them secret. At least that is the way it looks on the face of things, for otherwise it seems as if he would send the girl's mother, formerly his wife, some answer to her inquiry.

Mrs. Litchford is still positive in her belief that her daughter was taken away from her home here against her own volition, as she was clad only in riding clothes when she left, and Baum, who had visited Mrs. Litchford's father-in-law, J. W. Litchford, 318 south Patrick street, had taken other girls in the neighborhood out on his cycle for short spins but returned them all to their homes. It is supposed Miss Eareheart thought he would do the same with her, but things turned out differently.

Anent the report in the Gazette August 30 about the elopement, in which it was stated that Baum and Miss Eareheart were former sweethearts when Baum lived as a boy in this city, that is denied absolutely by Mrs. Litchford. She stated this morning that this report was untrue, as Marguerite had met the man only three days before the supposed elopement. Advices to that effect, had been taken substantially by the Gazette from a Baltimore paper, to which additions were made regarding the Alexandria end of the story by this paper.

Chief Goods expects a message from Hagerstown some time today and it is hoped that the mystery will be cleared up within a few days.

Italy has confiscated the metallurgic establishment maintained by Krupps, the great German gun works, in Northern Italy.

NOTICE.

The annual picnic of St. Joseph's Church will take place at Riverside Park Labor Day, September 4. Tickets will be accepted on any car going to or coming from Mount Vernon. Special cars will be run at 9 a. m. and 1:30 p. m.

ALEXANDRIA'S EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN

Will open at 7:45 Sunday evening, Sept. 3d, under the direction of Gypsy Smith Jr., the noted Evangelist of Haddon Heights, N. J.

Services will be held every night each week, excepting Monday, continuing until Oct. 2d, in a large tent with a seating capacity of 2,000 located on upper King Street, between West and Peyton Streets, on the site of the old fairgrounds.

Evangelist Smith is a direct, forcible speaker and it is earnestly hoped that every resident of Alexandria will arrange to attend the meetings and hear him.

The services will be of an entirely undenominational character, the campaign having the hearty endorsement of practically all the various churches in the city.

The singing will be a feature of the services, the evangelist bringing with him his own chorister and pianist.

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$3.50 awning stripe skirt, now $1.98
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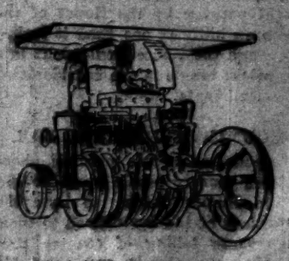

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HEFLIN ANSWERS MANN.

There was excitement in the House of Representatives during the debate on the [illegible] law.

The excitement reached its height following a bitter attack on President Wilson by Minority Leader Mann. Mr. Mann charged the Democrats with playing politics. He asserted the public [illegible] appealed to pay the [illegible] raised wages but [illegible] keeping the public [illegible] is fact until after [illegible] Mann then defended [illegible] had vaguely [illegible] "all", by accepting [illegible] which the [illegible] instead of in [illegible] program, as [illegible] of compulsory [illegible]

[illegible] Heflin, of Alabama, took [illegible] to task for his attack [illegible] and his charge of [illegible] politics in a speech which brought [illegible] of cheering from the Democratic side and from the labor people sitting in the galleries.

"You," said Mr. Heflin, looking at Mr. Mann, "took the President to task for trying to avert a strike. You Republicans do not want this strike settled. You want it to come. Some of you refer to what Cleveland and Roosevelt would have done. Cleveland took steps to stop a strike after it had started, and Roosevelt let a coal strike rage for five months before stopping it. What is this man in the White House today doing? He is trying to stop this strike before it starts. (Prolonged applause from labor people in the galleries). He is trying to settle it before American people suffer for food. And a few days ago he came to this House and read a message, which was one of the bravest documents ever submitted to a Congress since Andrew Jackson defied the United States Bank."

Representative Heflin, it will be remembered, has in recent years made speeches in Alexandria, where he made a great impression. He was a guest of honor at one of the annual reunions of Confederate Veterans, who celebrated Robert E. Lee's birthday; also at the 22d of February banquet given by Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons.

THE TIRPITZ MANIFESTO

With Roumania in the war and Greece on the point of entering with Italy declaring war against Germany, and the Allies on the offensive on all fronts, the plight of the Central Powers certainly is worse today than it has been at any other time. In this [illegible] light likely [illegible] ament ever [illegible] tion of re- [illegible] submarine warfare and making a [illegible] sperate effort by that form of savagery to lessen the efficacy of the ring that is tightening about it, now would be the time to put it into effect.

Yet the New York World prints a dispatch from its special correspondent in Berlin, quoting one of the leading men of the empire and a personal friend of Chancellor Hollweg, saying that "there is an increasingly strong desire not only to maintain friendly relations (with America) but to do what little we may from this side to make them more cordial and perhaps to gain a little understanding by the American people of the fierce crucible the German nation is passing through." The recent "Von Tirpitz manifesto," advocating a resumption of submarine warfare, is said by this correspondent to have been merely a private letter from the Admiral to a friend, the purport of which was debatable and which in any event was of no importance, Von Tirpitz being now merely a private individual, a former Minister, absolutely without influence upon the Government, "even less than Roosevelt has upon President Wilson." "In circles close to the Government it is declared emphatically that the resumption of submarine warfare contrary to the promises made Washington is not under consideration."

As is said by the Baltimore Sun, this sounds reasonable. It seems unbelievable that Germany, at this time of all others, should care to add America to the list of her enemies She would be playing the game of the Allies and not her own were she to do this.

THE GYPSY SMITH REVIVAL.

Virtually all the Protestant churches of Alexandria will tomorrow launch a revival movement in this city which it is purposed to continue during the entire month of September. The principal speaker on these occasions will be Gypsy Smith, Jr., who has conducted successful revivals in other places recently. Services will be held in a huge tent near the Second Baptist Church on upper King street.

Most of the churches hold revival services during the fall and winter, but in this movement there will be a concerted effort upon the part of churches as a whole to interest people in the spiritual life.

During the past week or more what are known as cottage prayer meetings have been held in houses in different sections of the city, and much [illegible] attendants. These preliminary services are akin to the old Methodist class meeting, seldom heard of in our day, but which people of that persuasion in the good old times anticipated with evident pleasure. Paul in some of his epistles sends his salutations to different persons and "to churches which were in their houses". The early disciples met in private houses (generally upper chambers) caves, deserted stone quarries, on the tops of hills, cellars, catacombs, etc. They had no temples, as christians of our day, but the early type of Christianity was of the most robust kind. Hence churches in houses should not be despised, to use a scriptural word. "Where two or three are gathered together," etc., are the words of encouragement to all interested in the Saviour of Mankind.

Bulwer in his "Last Days of Pompeii" gives glimpses of early Christian worship. When about to depart for their homes the first disciples pledged each other to go out into the world and strive to live as did their [illegible]—holy undefiled and separate from sinners, and ready to suffer anything for His sake—determined to rise superior to their trials and persecutions, minus any resentment. The hymn, "God be with you until we meet again," had not been written, but its spirit was in evidence.

In the early history of Christianity sects began to multiply. It has been going on ever since. Among the Corinthian brethren some were of Paul, some of Apollos, some of Cephas, and some of Christ. It is so now, in a sense. Christians of our day are of Cephas, Luther, Wesley, Calvin and others. Some believe immersion is the scriptural form of baptism; others equally as sincere, are convinced sprinkling or pouring was the original process. Let every one be fully persuaded in his own mind. But good people of Alexandria are about to stack temporarily their creeds and ecclesiastical preferences with their umbrellas and canes in the vestibule and to be of one mind in the great work of proclaiming the gospel and arresting the attention of the thoughtless.

We are told to "contend for the faith once delivered unto the saints." But this was written in reference to such as in the dim past denied the Lord who bought them. Surely all recognize this truth now. There are many different branches of the gospel tree today, but all recognize the great work of the Saviour of Mankind. Hence, for the time being we can lay aside unimportant issues.

The basic principles of each denomination vary but little, and the object of the originators of the revival movement, which has virtually been launched, is to recruit the churches—all the churches— and such as may manifest interest in spiritual affairs will not be bombarded with theological issues which have distressed the world from time immemorial. Each convert will be left to enter the congregation of his choice.

There is a story to the effect that a certain divine who was ever meditating upon the return of the Lord to this planet dreamed one night that the momentous day had dawned at last. He stood watching the procession of the redemed ones and trying to locate himself somewhere in the ranks. In the first detachment were the prophets and others who had lived previous to the gospel dispensation. He looked carefully, but he was not among them, nor could he have hoped to be. The next company composed the apostles and early disciples. He realized he could not consort with them. Next came martyrs, church fathers and prelates who flourished at the dawn of Christianity and since. He shivered when he dared to imagine himself in that party. Later a miscellaneous horde composed of representatives of all creeds, came in sight—the poor, the lame, and the halt were there. The good divine recognized himself in the midst of this great cortege. While inclined to be disappointed at finding himself in such company, he glanced around and was startled when he recognized the Great Shepherd of the sheep in the midst of the assemblage which composed this rear guard.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Under the above heading the Gazette will be pleased to give reasonable space to any person who desires to make comment upon matters of general interest to the public. Writers will of course be responsible for their utterances. A guarantee of good faith, the name and address of the writer of any article submitted for publication will be required in each instance.—Editor Gazette.

CLOSING OF PLAYGROUNDS

Editor Gazette:

On the grounds of the Washington School on south Washington street Thursday afternoon just at sundown, a truly beautiful sight was the exhibition given by the class in rhythmic dancing, under the direction of Miss Flora Kell. The exhibition was the final exercises of the class and also marked the closing of the playground for the summer of 1916.

Each year the playground work has been more and more successful, and in several weeks the great success of this summer's work will be revealed in the exhibit of the social center work, an annual custom following the close of the grounds. Announcement of the dates of the exhibit will come later.

The committee in charge regretted deeply the fact that they could not keep the grounds open a few weeks longer and hope that by next year more funds will enable them to do so, as Thursday all the children, who have been patrons of the grounds, were sorry to leave and begged the ladies to keep the grounds open longer.

It is admitted by all that the playground work does much for the prevention of delinquency and incorrigibility among the young of the city as it diverts the natural energies and propensities of children into channels of healthful recreation and useful work. The playground in Alexandria is doing a great work, and the people of the city are requested by the committee to help in making it more successful than ever next summer.

Committee.

MR. BECKER'S BRAVE ACT.

Editor Gazette:

As day broke yesterday morning William Becker and his family were awakened from their sleep by a fire in the house, which was soon completely enveloped in fire. Fortunately all the members of the family escaped unhurt.

Mr. Becker, who is a hard-working member of St. Rita's Church, in Mount Ida, and who has never spared himself, whether it be labor or money, when it is a question of his church, has the sympathy of all the congregation, as well as his non-Catholic members. Mrs. Becker is a no less useful and zealous member of St. Rita's.

It is only right to record the latest instance of William Becker's spirit of sacrifice. It has been customary for the clergy attending St. Rita's church to deposit the sacred vessels in Becker's house for safe-keeping during the secular days of the week, ar acommodations for the same in the little church has not yet been provided. Yesterday when the fire broke out in the house, Mr. Becker's first thought was of his precious trust. Hastening his family out of the burning house, he succeeded in saving the sacred vessels, although at considerable risk of his life and loss of the other contents of the house and money belonging to him, which went up with flames.

Therefore all praise to this humble hero, who was ready and willing to risk and lose all for the honor and glory of God.

Member St. Rita's Church.

ALEXANDRIA LIBRARY.

The following books have been added to the Alexandria Library:

The Girl Philippa, Robert W. Chambers.

The Prisoner, Alice Brown.

The Shepherd of the North, Richard A. Maher.

The Golden Woman, Rigwell Cullum.

As We Were Saying, Charles W. Dudley.

I Spy, Natalie S. Lincoln.

[illegible] in Charge, Mrs. Mary Wemyss.

The Unspeakable Perk, Samuel H. Adams.

Robert of Roseberry Garden, Frances Duncan.

Davenport, Charles Marriott.

Three Weeks In Politics, John K. Bangs.

Alone In China, Julian Ralph.

The Railway Library, Slason Thompson.

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The Secret of the Submarine
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At High School Building: September 7, at 9 a. m.—mathematics and history. September 8, at 9 a. m.—Latin, English and Science.

At Lee School: September 7, at 9 a. m.—Arithmetic and History. September 8, at 9 a. m.—English and Geography.

W. H. SWEENEY, Superintendent.
203-3t.

AUCTION SALES

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE, IMPROVED RIVER FRONT TRACT OF LAND KNOWN AS "COLLINGWOOD."

By virtue of authority vested in me by deed of trust dated April 2nd, 1915, from Clayton E. Emig and wife to me as Trustee, recorded in Liber W, No. 7, page 242, of the land records of Fairfax County, default having been made in the payment of the debt thereby secured, and in the performance of the covenants and conditions contained therein, and at the direction of the party secured thereby, I will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises at two o'clock, p. m., on Tuesday, the 5th, day of September, 1916, that tract of land situated in Mount Vernon Magisterial District, Fairfax County, Virginia, on the line of the Washington Virginia Railway, and bordering on the Potomac River, and bounded as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the Potomac River at low water mark, thence North, eighty-three and one-fourth degrees; West fifteen and forty-six one hundredth chains to a stake in the lane or private road of said first parties, thence with the center of said road, south sixty-two degrees and five minutes; West, eight and fifty hundredth chains; North seventy-nine degrees and twenty-five minutes; West, twenty-seven and seventy hundredth chains to a small bridge; North sixty-eight degrees and forty minutes; West, ten and eighty hundredth chains to a stake in the center of the county road; thence with said County road South twenty and one-fourth degrees; West, sixteen and thirty hundredth chains to another stake in the center of said road; thence leaving said road with the line of Charles F. Wilkins, South sixty five degrees and thirty-five minutes; East, seventy and fifty hundredth chains to low water mark on the Potomac River, (passing a leaning Willow tree with top broken off, near high water mark) thence with the Potomac River shore at low water mark, in a Northerly course to the point or place of beginning; containing one hundred and fifty-six acres of land, more or less.

Subject to a deed of trust for three thousand dollars ($3,000.00), on one hundred (100) acres of the western portion of said tract, executed by Clayton E. Emig and wife, and duly of record amongst the land records of Fairfax County.

The property will first be offered in two separate parcels in the following order, to-wit:

First: The whole of the said tract of one hundred and fifty-six (156) acres, except about thirteen (13) acres conveyed by Clayton E. Emig to Lelia D. Emig, and described below. If the foregoing tract does not bring a sufficient amount to satisfy the said trust, taxes and expenses of sale, then

Second.: The remainder of said original tract comprising about thirteen (13) acres which was conveyed by Clayton E. Emig to Lelia D. Emig, and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the Potomac River at low water mark, running thence North 83 1-4 degrees West 15 and 46-100 chains to a stake in the private lane or road of the party of the first part; thence running with the centre of said road South 62 degrees 5 minutes West, 8 and 50-100 chains excepting however, the triangle aggregating one-half acre sold to E. A. Thompson by agreement of October 26, 1915; thence running South 20 degrees 15 minutes West, a distance of 225 feet; thence running along line South 79 degrees 25 minutes, East in a straight course until said line intersects the Potomac River at low water mark; thence in a Northerly direction along the said River shore, and at low water mark of said Potomac River to the place of beginning. Containing about thirteen acres of land more or less.

If the said two parcels together do not bring a sufficient amount to pay the said deed of trust, taxes and expenses of sale, then the said property will be offered as a whole.

Terms of Sale: Cash, conveyancing at the cost of purchaser.

A deposit of one thousands dollars ($1,000.00) cash will be required when the property is knocked down to the purchaser, and ten days will be allowed for examination of title and completion of purchase.

ARTHUR BLANCHARD,
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Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

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8:47 A. M. Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop. Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisburg to Ashville. Coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

4:22 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham, and Augusta. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service. Tourist to California daily.

4:02 P. M.—Local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M. Local for Warrenton.

7:17 P. M. Daily—Augusta Special. Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Ashville.

10:02 P. M. Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special, Sleeping cars and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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Schedule in effect May 28, 1916

For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33 a. m 12:01, 12:16 12:23, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:16, 8:53, 11:33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 3:32, 5:17 (local) 6:57, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accomodation for Fredericksburg at 2:23, p. m. Saturdays and 11:18 a. m. other days of week.

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Leave Alexandria For Washington—
Daily Except Sundays and Holidays
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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 40, 7 00, 7 30, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.
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A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 35, 7 55, 8 55, 10 20, 11 20;—P. M.—12 20, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 25, 6 40 7 25, 9 25, 10 20, 11 50.
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FIRE ON LAUNCH

Eight Women Narrowly Escape by Plunging into the Sea.

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 2—A big cruising launch, afire from head to stern while women with their clothing afire, plunged one by one into the sea—this was the spectacle yesterday about five miles from the inlet.

Eight women and three men, all of social prominence here, had gone for a pleasure trip in the Skibo, a cabin cruiser belonging to Judge Allen B. Endicott.

Their terrifying adventure, which resulted in burns and shocks to all, followed an explosion of gasoline that is supposed to have escaped from a leaking tank.

Capt. Samuel Jeffries, engineer of the boat, was so badly burned that he is expected to die. One of the women and two of the men are in the city hospital.

Jeffries, who was below deck when the explosion occurred, had most of his clothing burned from his body.

The women, most of them good swimmers, remained on board until driven into the sea by the blazing up of their clothing.

Some of them were almost exhausted when Capt. Hallowell, of the launch Winona, arrived on the scene, having seen the flames from a distance. He hauled everybody on board and speeded for the beach.

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MAJOR LEAGUE BALL.

American League

Yesterday's scores:
Washington, 3; Athletics, 1.
Athletics, 4; Washington, 1.
New York, 7; Boston, 3.

Schedules for today:
Athletics at Washington.
Boston at New York.
St. Louis at Cleveland.
Chicago at Detroit.

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	71	53	.573
Detroit	70	57	.551
Chicago	69	57	.548
St. Louis	69	58	.543
New York	67	59	.532
Cleveland	67	60	.527
Washington	61	63	.492
Athletics	28	95	.228

National League.

Scores of yesterday follow:
Phillies, 3; Brooklyn, 0.
Phillies, 6; Brooklyn, 0.
Boston, 3; New York, 1.
Chicago-St. Louis, rain.

Today's schedules:
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Chicago at St. Louis.
New York at Boston.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	72	46	.610
Boston	70	46	.603
Phillies	69	49	.585
New York	56	59	.487
Pittsburgh	55	65	.458
St. Louis	55	68	.447
Chicago	55	68	.447
Cincinnati	47	78	.376

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WANTED — Neat appearing boy, with bicycle. Blue Ribbon Shoe Co., 407 King St. 205-3t.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Virginia, In the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 21st day of August, 1916.

Genevieve Estlin, complainant, vs. William G. Estlin, defendant.

An affidavit having been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State and the sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made to the Clerk in writing for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and an order of publication having been duly granted by the clerk, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institutio nof this suit, and to do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy of this order be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to-wit: Washington, D. C., as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the clerk of this Court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this Court on or before the next rule day of this court.

A Copy Teste:
Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk
By C. Duffey, D. C.
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

Notice Annual Meeting.

Rosslyn, Va., Aug. 29, 1916.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Arlington Brewing Company will be held at the office of the company, Rosslyn, Va., on Tuesday September 12, 1916 at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before said meeting.

ARLINGTON BREWING CO.
201-12t Abe King, Secretary.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late SAMUEL P. Fisher, deceased, I hereby notify all persons indebted to said estate to settle the same as soon as possible. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present bills for same properly authenticated for settlement.

SAMUEL G. BRENT,
193-10t. Administrator.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Virginia, In the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria on the 7th day of August, 1916.

Emma Virginia Studds Flynn, Complainant,
vs. IN CHANCERY
Daniel J. Flynn, Defendant.

An affidavit having been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the Sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made in writing to the Clerk of this Court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment, upon the passage of the full statutory period of three years and an order of publication having been duly granted it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment, upon the passage of the full statutory period of three years and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this Court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to-wit: Jefferson Street, Wilmington, Delaware, as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the Clerk of this Court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this Court on or before the next rule day of this Court.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

Commonwealth of Virginia, In the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria on the 11th day of August, 1916.

Charles Nagel, complainant, vs. Ida Hansbrough Nagel, defendant. In Chancery.

An affidavit having been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that she cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State and the Sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made in writing before the Clerk of this Court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for a divorce a mensa et thoro on the grounds of cruelty and wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment and upon the passage of the statutory period for the merging of same into an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony: and for the extinguishment of defendant's dower claims in complainant's real estate: and an order of publication having been duly granted by the Clerk of this court, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication here of to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for a divorce a mensa et thoro on the grounds of cruelty and wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment, and upon the passage of the statutory period for the merging of same into an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony: and for the extinguishment of defendant's dower claims in complainant's real estate; and to do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy of this order be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to-wit: 2625 Swift Street, Pleasant Ridge, Cincinnati, Ohio, as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the clerk of this court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court this court.

A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

Notice Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Howard Lumber Company, Incorporated, will be held at its principal office, No 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday September 5th, 1916, at eleven o'clock, a. m., for the election of Directors and officers and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

W. H. HOWARD,
194-13t. Secretary.

Hard and soft shell crabs on sale at the Rammel Hotel Cafe.

LEGAL NOTICES

In the Corporation Court for the City of Alexandria, Va.

Hunter Bronaugh vs. Blanche L. Bronaugh, in chancery.

Upon the application of the complainant stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, and that the defendant is not a resident of this state, the court on this 24th day of August, 1916, doth enter the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant an absolute divorce on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit. Affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Blanche L. Bronaugh, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered, that she do appear within fifteen (15) days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and it is further ordered that a copy of this order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered, and that a copy of this order of publication shall be mailed by the Clerk of this Court addressed to the said non-resident, at No. 19 West 135th Street, New York City, New York, her last known place of address.

A copy Teste:
Samuel G. Brent, P. Q.
Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

Commonwealth of Virginia. In the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria on the 7th day of August, 1916.

Georgia Peffer Poff, Complainant,
vs. IN CHANCERY.
Mathew Poff, Defendant.

An affidavit having been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the Sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made in writing before the Clerk of this Court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and an order of publication having been duly granted, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and to do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria, Virginia, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to wit: 1200 Block Eye Street, N. W. Washington, D. C., as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the Clerk of this Court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this Court on or before the next rule day of this Court.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

IN THE CORPORATION COURT FOR THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Alice Scott, complainant, vs. George Scott, defendant. In Chancery.

Upon the application of the complainant, stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, and that the defendant is not a resident of this State, the Court on this 20th day of June, 1916, doth enter the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant, an absolute divorce on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit. And affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, George Scott, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit. It is further ordered that a copy of this order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered, and that a copy of this order shall be mailed by the Clerk of this Court addressed to the said non-resident defendant at No. 1337 T Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C., his last known place of address.

A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
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